It seems that the Republicans are so panic stricken over Kerry's far superior showing at the debates, they will stoop so low as to use this kind of tactic. If Bush really had accomplished anything worth mentioning they wouldn't need this kind of back door attack. Now having said that let me add that there are a few Republicans I can respect some of the time. John McCain is one along with the Republican Senators from Maine who's vote scuttled the evil attempt to drill in the ANWR. I also appreciated Richard Lugar's speaking out honestly about the poor Bush war record